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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

**COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 17, 2001
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

This Communication is submitted in response to the September 17, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) which was issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. A response to the September 17, 2001 Notice is due November 17, 2001. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.

Declaration and Power of Attorney

Applicant submits herewith a Declaration and Power of Attorney pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(b) as **Exhibit B**. The Declaration and Power of Attorney refers to the application's above-identified serial number and filing date. The surcharge for submitting the Declaration and Power of Attorney under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is

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SIXTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$65.00). Therefore, a check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for filing the Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Assignment

Applicant also submits herewith a Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment for the above-identified application as **Exhibit C**. The fee for filing the Assignment is FORTY DOLLARS (\$40.00). Therefore, a check in the amount of \$40.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for the filing of the Assignment.

Change of Address

Applicant further directs Examiner's attention to a change of address for its attorney. Please forward all future communications and direct all telephone calls regarding this application to:

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If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, Applicant's undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone at the number provided below.

No fee other than the \$65.00 fee and the \$40.00 fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is

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